



Healthy Wisconsin

Complimentary State Programs

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Programs

- ❑ BadgerCare Plus
- ❑ E-Health
- ❑ BadgerRx



BadgerCare Plus

- ❑ Affordable and comprehensive health care coverage for all children in Wisconsin
- ❑ Merge Family Medicaid, BadgerCare (SCHIP), and Healthy Start
- ❑ Simplify enrollment and administration



BadgerCare Plus

- ❑ Will cover:
 - all children
 - pregnant women (up to 300% FPL)
 - parents and caretaker relatives (up to 200% FPL)
 - parents who are self-employed and farmers (up to 200% FPL)
 - parents with children in foster care (up to 200% FPL)
 - youth aging out of foster care



BadgerCare Plus

- ❑ Ensure access
- ❑ Encourage preventive care
- ❑ Reduce cost of the program
- ❑ Promote healthier behaviors
- ❑ Expand premium assistance program



E-Health Board

- ❑ Created by Governor's executive order
- ❑ Leverage the power of health IT
 - improve health care quality
 - increase patient safety
 - promote prevention
 - reduce health care costs
 - enable consumer participation in decision making
- ❑ Report due in December 2006



E-Health Board

- Components of a statewide infrastructure:
 - funding resources
 - technology options
 - consumer needs
 - privacy
 - statewide adoption
 - governance structure



BadgerRx

- ❑ Pharmacy Benefit Management
- ❑ Open to government, businesses, individuals
- ❑ Approach to buying prescription drugs
 - pooling purchasing power
 - transparency
 - savings to buyers
 - lowest net spending



BadgerRx

- ❑ Operated by Navitus

- ❑ Savings go to directly to purchasers:
 - State savings in excess of \$30 million/year
 - Individuals save 25-30%

Additional Information

- ❑ BadgerCare Plus

<http://dhfs.wisconsin.gov/badgercareplus>

- ❑ E-Health

<http://ehealthboard.dhfs.wisconsin.gov>

- ❑ BadgerRx

<http://www.navitus.com>